

National Security Award Comes to Ill. Northern Utilities

Presentation of Certificate Made at Luncheon on Wednesday

In recognition of the maintenance of a superior standard of protection and security safeguarding production, employees and properties, the Illinois Northern Utilities company of this city was awarded the United States Office of Civilian Defense National Security Award at a dinner meeting held at the Hotel Nachusa Wednesday afternoon. Maj. Gen. Frank Parker, executive director of the Illinois War Council, made the presentation to Vice President George B. Fluhr.

At the close of the dinner Mr. Fluhr presided at the brief program which was attended by several department heads of the utilities company, officers and guests numbering about 50. George R. Jones of Chicago, president of the I. N. U. Co., was an honor guest and during the program congratulated the employees of the company upon having gained national recognition.

General Parker, in presenting the award, stressed the importance of the plant protection program in Illinois. He stated, he stated, was long overdue and was most deserved by the employees of the I. N. U. Co., who have established an outstanding record. Directing his remarks to the war situation, General Parker stated that had the Germans been successful in reaching Stalingrad and Moscow, this section of the country would have been vulnerable to bomb attacks by enemy planes. He urged the industries throughout the country to increase production, adding that supplies were falling behind on the European fronts.

End Unpredictable

"Just how long is this war going to last, is a question in the minds of all," General Parker

said, and replying to the question, stated: "It is impossible to prophesy just how long it is going to continue. It may be but a short time and then it may be for a long period, but, getting on with the job is the important task which confronts all of us today, and will continue to confront us until the war is won."

With these remarks, General Parker presented the award and in reply Vice President Fluhr said: "I am indeed happy to accept this National Security Award on behalf of the Illinois Northern Utilities company. To be one of the few industries in this area selected for this honor gives me a great deal of personal pride, as I am sure it does every employee of our organization. The award fittingly takes its place beside our service flag with its one gold star and 180 blue stars."

"This certificate symbolizes many things. It will always be a tangible reminder of the vigilance and devotion to duty displayed by our fine plant protection force during these trying days, of the planning and training of guards by Messrs. Hofer and Finley who have supervised our plant protection program since the first days of the war, and of the co-operation given by our friends on the outside. The honor accorded by this award rightfully belongs to all of them."

"With the cares of protecting our property from sabotage in their capable hands, it has been possible for our other employees to deliver unimpaired service to customers despite increased loads with a materially reduced operating force. Before Pearl Harbor we had 1,100 employees and now have only 712."

"We of the company are well aware of the important part electric and gas service is playing in the production of war materials. A large percentage of the services we furnish are being used by war plants in the production of munitions, equipment, and other items necessary for military victory."

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"Every employee of the company contributes in some measure to the tremendous task of war production, and to our plant protection staff falls the vital responsibility of safeguarding all our facilities that provide gas and electric service. That they have done their job well is evidenced

here today. I extend heartiest congratulations to them upon winning this National Security Award. It is an achievement that we will remember for a long time to come."

Presented on the program by the chairman were I. B. Hofer, Charles J. Finley; President George R. Jones of Chicago, H. P. Sedwick, vice president of the Public Service Co. of Northern Illinois of Chicago, Col. Ralph Cook Scott, commanding officer of the Green River Ordnance plant, T. J. Miller, Lee county chairman of the plant protection program, State's Atty. Morey C. Pires, Lee county director of civilian defense, Atty. Robert L. Bracken, chairman of the Sixth War Loan drive in Lee county, who in his brief talk made a startling revelation when he stated that on the opening day of the Sixth War Loan drive in Dixon, but three bonds of the \$25 denomination were purchased aside from the large denominations, while 60 bonds were cashed.

Mayor William Slothower closed the program with remarks of congratulations to the I. N. U.

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Church Groups
Mrs. Marie Sandrock and Miss Eunice Miller entertained the Beginners class and Primary Sunday school classes of the Presbyterian church Saturday afternoon at the church parlors and out in the church yard Refreshments were served to 16 little members of the two classes.

The Tuxis group of the Presbyterian church went to Ashton Monday evening to attend the musical in the gym there and then all went to the Montanns home for their meeting and party afterward.

Thanksgiving Services
Union Thanksgiving services held in the Church of the Brethren Co., and each of its faithful employees for having attained the award.

Thursday at 10:00 a. m. Rev. H. C. Montanns of the Presbyterian church and Rev. Gilbert Peters of the Methodist church will join with Rev. S. L. Cover of the Brethren church in bringing a Thanksgiving message.

Funeral Services
The funeral services of Lesin G. Snyder who died suddenly last Wednesday morning was held Monday afternoon from the Hicks funeral home at Franklin Grove. The Rev. S. L. Cover of the Church of the Brethren assisted by the Rev. Dennis Bennet of the Lee Center Congregational church officiated. Burial was in the Twin Grove cemetery near Scarboro. Members of Lee Center lodge A. F. & A. M. had charge of the burial services.

Contract Bridge
Mrs. William Crawford entertained with two tables of Contract Bridge in honor of Mrs. Winifred Knox of Chicago, last Friday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Kathryn Herbst who won high score, Mrs. Sarah Losey of Ashton who received honors, Mrs. Steina Senger, Mrs. Vera Gross, Mrs. Grace Brecunier, Mrs. Drucilla

Banker, Mrs. Edna Gross. A two course luncheon was served at the close of the afternoon.

Persons
Miss Vivian Miller of Chicago came to spend the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of Ashton and relatives in Franklin Grove.

Mrs. Ivan Hullah left last week to visit her husband in Camp Blanding Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jacobs and Mrs. William Herbst attended the Eastern Star public installation at Dorothy Chapter Dixon Friday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Schenk left Chicago Monday November 20, for New Orleans, La., where they will spend the winter.

Lieut. Elizabeth Durkes returned to Washington Saturday November 19, to report for duty after a thirty day furlough.

The Klu club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Cover, Mrs. Vera Gross is the leader for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Durkes were guests at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Lyford in Port Byron Illinois Sunday.

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—Charles Simmons.

While no offering can liquidate one's debt of gratitude to God, the fervent heart and willing hand are not unknown to nor unrewarded by Him.
—Mary Baker Eddy.

If gratitude is due from man to man, how much more from man to his Maker!
—Joseph Addison.

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Prayer service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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7:15 p. m. Service of sermon and song. Message by the pastor. The Senior choir will sing "A Good Thing to Give Thanks" by Thomas.

Wednesday, 6:45 p. m. Young Ladies' choir rehearsal. 7:30 p. m. prayer service, two groups. 8:30 p. m. Senior choir rehearsal.

Thursday, 8:00 p. m. Willing Workers' class monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Murray Newcomer, 118 3rd Ave.

Grace church is co-operating in the Nationwide Bible Reading campaign between Thanksgiving and Christmas, sponsored by the American Bible Society.

A full Advent season program will be presented at Grace church, commencing next Sunday.

FOUR SQUARE CHURCH
607 W. 7th St.
Rev. Vernon and Leola Robinson, pastors
Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:45 a. m.
Crusade service, 7:00 p. m.
Evangelistic service, 7:15 p. m.
Dr. H. D. Mitzner, Great Lakes district supervisor, will speak at both Sunday services.

BRETHREN CHURCH
10 a. m. Sunday school. Edward Myers superintendent.
11 a. m. Worship. The pastor will speak on the subject, "A Good Conscience."

7 p. m. Departmental work. The young people of the church will have charge of this service.
7:45 p. m. Everybody's service conducted by the pastor, who will speak on the subject of "The First Resurrection."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Hennepin and Second
Albert J. Martin, minister
Church school at 9:30
Worship at 10:30 Organ numbers by Miss Lois Fellows and the choir will sing "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled" by Heyser.

7:30 p. m.—Worship. Our guest speaker will be Miss Irene Forsythe.

"Workers Together" will be the pastor's sermon subject.
Youth Fellowship at 6:00. Evening service at 7:00. "Worship" will be the topic for a round table discussion.

Monday, 7:30 p. m. the Victory class will meet with Mrs. Don Miller at her home, 116 1/2 East First street. Election of officers is the main item of business to be presented. A social hour will follow. All members are urged to attend this particular meeting.

Tuesday evening, Young People's business and social meeting. Wednesday, Ladies' Aid meeting. Workers' Conference at 7:30.

The True Blue class will meet Thursday with scramble dinner at 12:30.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
10:15 a. m. Divine worship
Rev. George Curran of Chicago will have charge of the services.
1:30 p. m. Saturday Confirmation class meets in primary room.

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509 West 7th St.
Rev. P. E. Gaynor, pastor.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
10:15 a. m. service
A C E League 6:30 p. m.
An evening of music will be given by Negro talent of this church Nov. 26 7:15 p. m. at the First Methodist church, Rev. F. Blewfield, pastor.

WEST SIDE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
W. H. Lewis, pastor
Sunday school convenes at 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship at 10:45 a. m.
Young People's service at 6:30 p. m.
Evening public worship at 7:30 p. m.

The minister will bring a message Sunday morning in harmony with the Thanksgiving season. A special offering is to be received at this service to help pay the incidental expenses of the local church.

In the evening the subject will be Some Things Christians May Know.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
B. B. Cartwright, Pastor
9:30 a. m.—Worship. This is Every-Member Canvass Sunday. Members of the congregation are asked to bring their pledges to either the morning or evening service. The pastor will have as his subject "The Light of Christianity."

7:30 p. m.—Worship. Our guest speaker will be Miss Irene Forsythe.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
Christianization of Industry Would Give Work and Self-Respect to All

Text: Luke 19:15-26; 11 Thessalonians 3:10-12

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.
Times and conditions change, but basic facts and problems of human life remain much the same. Slackers and wasters, who refuse to bear their fair share of the world's work and responsibility, are as much a problem and a menace to society as they were in the days of Paul.

And this is true in our modern complex society, in spite of the fact that in our economic and industrial order many can live without working, and in recent years many who have wished to work have been denied the opportunity. What is emphasized by these facts is that there is something amiss in society that in some way we must correct.

In a truly Christian society every capable person would be making his contribution to the common good. If he did not need to work for his own living, he ought to be engaged in some sort of work, not necessarily physical labor for the welfare of others.

True democracy demands this, quite as much as Christian idealism. In an ideal Democracy no one would be exempt from social duties or be permitted to live for himself alone, and this would be effected in democratic ways, without the danger of fascism or dictatorship. It is rather amazing to find that in the early Christian communities where one would have expected to find the highest sort of devotion to the common good there were slackers so flagrant that Paul had to rebuke them and to warn the church that if these pollutions would not work neither should they eat. Only a serious situation could have called forth such strong words and such extreme measures.

The principle that Paul lays down is a sound one even for modern complex societies. Welfare depends upon work and the full

welfare of society depends upon the provision of useful work for all, and the willingness of all to do it. And this is true despite the recurrence of periods of unemployment, and the failure thus far of every modern nation to find a solution for the problem of unemployment.

War is obviously no solution, though it keeps all who want to work employed while the war lasts, or in periods of warlike preparations, as in Germany's supposed solution of the problem in the years preceding the war. Relief of the "dole" system, as it was called in Britain, and similar provision in this country, necessary and humane as the measures of relief were, is no solution. In the much-criticized WPA and FVA millions of people who were denied regular jobs were enabled to maintain their self-respect, and many of them gave very valuable work to the nation for every dollar they received.

But such relief as an emergency measure is no real solution to the problem of unemployment, though a great deal that was done under relief in the deep depression ought to have been done in the course of regular employment.

Two things it seems to me are needed: we must establish more useful work for the common good, so that if labor is not absorbed in free enterprise it can be turned to other socially organized and socially profitable enterprise and free enterprise must become increasingly dominated by the ideal of service, rather than the motive of personal gain with distribution of goods for the common welfare made the goal. Only in that way can production attain its highest efficiency.

This seems to me the inevitable path toward the Christianization of industry.

FIRST BAPTIST
9:15 a. m.—Bible school
10:45 a. m.—Morning worship
Dr. Hughes will be away and Rev. D. B. Martin will occupy the pulpit both morning and afternoon.
4:30 p. m.—Afternoon vesper service.

Wednesday 7:30 p. m.—Evening service. Belan Gibson will be in charge.

FIRST METHODIST
Second Street at Peoria Avenue
Floyd L. Blewfield DD, Pastor
9:15 a. m.—Church school. Leon Garrison, superintendent.
10:45 a. m.—Church service in

At Bethel Church



The Rev. W. A. Knapp, D. D. will conduct a three week meeting at the Bethel United Evangelical church N. Galena and Morgan streets beginning Sunday Nov. 26 to Dec. 17. Dr. Knapp is from Parkersburg, W. Va. He has met with great success in the evangelistic work. He is a forceful speaker with a strong personality. Dr. Knapp is also a Bible teacher having given lectures illustrated by charts. Services will be held every night except Saturday. Special music will also be given each night. The public is cordially invited to attend.

charge of pastor Dr. Blewfield will preach on the subject "Stewards of the Mysteries of God." Special music for this service will include the following:

Organ—Adagio—Mr. Thomas
Anthem—Opening the Eyes—Senior choir
Offertory—"Cavatina"—Mr. Thomas.

Postlude—Moderato
10:15 a. m.—Church nursery for children of parents attending the morning service.

5:30 p. m.—Youth choir rehearsal under the direction of Randall Warfel.

6:30 p. m.—Special program given by the A. M. E. church of Dixon to be held in this church and open to the public. Program

of negro spirituals, stories and message. A free will offering will be received for the benefit of the work of the A. M. E. church.
The Emmanuel Lutheran church is joining with the First Methodist church in sponsoring this service.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
521 Highland Avenue
C. L. Wagner, Pastor
9:15 a. m.—Sunday school. Miss Edna Gerdes, superintendent.
11 a. m.—Morning worship with sermon by the pastor.
Saturday 1:30 p. m.—Pastor's catechetical class.

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Services at 1:15 p. m. in charge of Rev. W. E. Thompson.

BETHEL UNITED EVANGELICAL
9:45 a. m.—Bible school
10:45 a. m.—Rev. W. Knapp, DD evangelist
6:45 p. m.—Young people's meeting

7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic services. Rev. W. Knapp.

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CIO Votes Today on PAC's Permanence

Chicago, Nov. 22 — (AP)—The CIO, already appreciative of its winning role in the recent political election, looked for an opportunity today to formally vote permanence to its PAC and stage at least a little back-slapping.

On the whole, the convention, in its third day, has taken the CIO's political successes with conservative enthusiasm, although Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, Vice President Wallace and other speakers have glowingly praised labor's part in President Roosevelt's election to a fourth term.

A resolution to continue the Political Action Committee was prepared for action today, although President Philip Murray said he was only "hopeful" that it would be brought before the 600 delegates before tonight.

The resolution is to be chiefly advocated by Sidney Hillman, chairman of the PAC.

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NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

Washington—Mr. Roosevelt and the labor leaders are hardly acting out the roles naturally expected from their campaign victory.

In one column on the front pages Monday was the announcement of Economic Stabilizer Vinton that the president would turn down a general wage increase before the defeat of Germany, offering higher wages afterward.

Next to it was CIO President Phil Murray's equally surprising and reasonable extension of an olive branch to industry, promising continuance of the no strike pledge until that same date and offering co-operation with management thereafter.

But even less anticipated generally was the simultaneous appeal from the A. F. L. asking the CIO for labor unity.

There are good reasons for these strange turns of events. The president himself is behind them all. While labor generally may have expected a pay-off in a wage increase immediately after the election, Roosevelt is supposed to have summoned Murray, Green and others and laid down the law for restrained and reasonable non-political development of the situation.

Of course, there is considerable room for doubt as to how thoroughly this new plan of co-operation instead of fighting will be carried forward. Some strikes were on at the time the president acted, and more will follow. An extension of them is not improbable.

While they are being attributed to rather minor individual complaints by many local unions, they may represent a common determination to resist the government's new hold-the-line policy.

The Ohio telephone strike, for instance, was attributed to complaints that out-of-town workers were allowed extra transportation pay back and forth, which seemed like an extreme method of correcting a minor abuse. Behind it was dissatisfaction of this independent union with the delays of the War Labor Board and the resentment of the local union leaders against what they termed general mishandling by the American Telephone & Telegraph company.

Strikes these days can be called apparently for any reason at all, and it is quite clear that the main reason for considerable help en route.

Now, as No. 1 politician, his position is rich in opportunities for good, and also in temptation.

Mr. Hillman can consult the sorry history of American hosiery for ample evidence of what not to do. And it may be hoped that one of his early acts will be to disassociate himself from his present ALP ties with Communists who, in spite of their present demerit and allegiance, do not represent the wishes or purposes of millions who now look to him as their spokesman and champion.

tenance of a general, reasonable labor attitude is going to be a difficult proposition, especially after the Nazis are defeated. It is much too early to guess whether this is just a hiatus or a successful turn in the labor situation trend.

The CIO, of course, otherwise complained sharply against the president's moves toward denial of their effort to break the Little Steel Formula, which is the whole center of the line-holding program.

It challenged the bureau of labor's statistics' figures, indicating the rise in living costs has been only 29 or 30 per cent. In fact, labor members of WFP estimated the increase at 43.5 per cent.

Statistics these days are generally what you want to make them. The bureau of labor statistics counted several items in the cost of living while the labor unions counted others. Personally, I have been somewhat suspicious of all government figures since I discovered the cost of my own living had increased far more than most of the government announcements claimed.

But there is an unchallengeable necessity for Roosevelt's attitude. The main economic trouble with the nation today is that there is more cash in circulation than goods to be bought.

Cash is piling up in the banks, is being spent willy-nilly by those with swollen war incomes. A condition has been created which is essentially the sellers market.

Black markets are made advantageous to both seller and buyer. The buyer is willing to pay nearly anything demanded because he has a surplus amount of cash (in general, that is) while the seller, by many devices of degrading his products or under-the-counter selling, evade the government's restriction.

When this is done on a national scale, it means upsetting the national war economy. Every reader of this column, no doubt, has had personal experiences which confirm these conditions.

Now if the government granted another general wage increase, it would of necessity force conditions far worse than they are today. The buyer, nationally speaking, would have some billions more of cash, and the seller would have no more products. The open market would be tighter and the black market bigger.

No real advantage accumulates to the worker by forced inflation. While their wages may be increased, here and there, slowly over a long period of time, prices have a tendency to react more quickly and the worker is always behind.

It is true, as the administration contends, that the time for a stimulus through a general wage increase is when production starts falling off at the end of the war with Germany and the circulation of more money is advisable to keep national income up.

These simple truths have been harped on in this column again and again and again in the face of charges that they were partisan, anti-new dealish, reactionary or what not. Now they turn out to be facts the administration could not get around.

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Fair Enough by WESTBROOK PEGLER

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New York—From the very beginning, all arguments in favor of the federal income tax have emphasized its "democratic" character. All opposition to the tax itself, to the more and more confiscatory revenue acts, and to their oppressive administration by the treasury, has been hooted down without reasonable hearing.

In the sense that democracy means the rule of the majority or a manipulated minority without regard for the rights of others, the tax is truly democratic. Its oppressive character is manifest in the burden-some weight of this tax that is carried by the few million individuals who, in normal times, pay it all, and again in the load carried by a few populous and wealthy states for the benefit of the many.

The propaganda for democracy has been strident and persistent in the years of the Roosevelt rule and apparently more of the people think democracy means freedom and think that is what Mrs. Roosevelt has in mind when she harps on the word.

Within the last year, the editor of an important southern paper, Democratic, of course, said democracy meant the same thing as the republican system and indicated that he would like to end discussion of possible differences.

The truth is, however, that the genuine American party Democrats, as distinguished from those who have European inclinations, are becoming embarrassed by the newer implications of Democracy. They do not like this thing but not all of them are ready, just yet, to abandon their party to the European Democrats whose ideology Mrs. Roosevelt constantly preaches.

And it is disturbing to them to realize that the communists, whose Political Action Committee outweighed and outscored their own Democratic national committee in the campaign, are correct when they say communism is democracy. They are correct because communism is the inevitable result of this new democracy of the Democratic party.

As to the democracy of the income tax, it may be remembered that Mrs. Roosevelt once proposed and almost put over an amendment which would have limited individual incomes to \$25,000 a year through confiscatory schedules on income above that figure.

That was absolutely contrary to the original intent of congress, that the plain understanding was that this tax was enacted for the purpose of raising revenue and not to limit anybody's earnings. Had there been an attempt then to limit income it would have been defeated but, had it passed the Supreme court of those days certainly would have nullified it on Constitutional grounds.

Nevertheless, Mrs. Roosevelt tossed off her suggestion, which later was traced to an old platform of the communist party, and, when congress flatly turned her down, her husband tried to jam it through by fiat. He, too, was rebuffed but will seem that this limitation is their idea of democracy and something new in American taxation.

I have pointed out some peculiarities of the income tax which are hostile to the integrity of the family as a unit and markedly partial to "society" and "the community".

In this connection it begins to dawn that this version of democracy is unfriendly to the religious teachings of those of us who are religious at all because all of us who have such feelings put family first.

Russia and Germany put the state ahead and this is the spirit of these discriminations against the family in the income tax.

That too, would be good democracy according to the new version whose extreme advocates have recently gone so far as to propose that not only young men but girls should be drafted for a year of "national service" not alone for the value of the service itself but for advancement of democracy among us through compulsory association of "all the different groups" as Mrs. Roosevelt put it.

Why would the advocates of democracy want to discredit the family? I think their reasons are suggested by their conduct and preaching. They are very materialistic and, although one hears much talk of "humanity" from them there is seldom any mention of God.

They would not think of calling this war a fight for Christian principles, although these would constitute an excellent formula for the peace and well-being of mankind. Our friends, the Russians, would think it strange but we can get together on democracy because democracy eventually devours itself and can tolerate even slavery.

It has been said that the Russians have edged over toward the right in the last few years which may be true or false, but there is no doubt that we, on our part,

have moved far to the left seeking a common ground with them. So far, under the democratic concept, we have established in the income tax the principle that man's obligation to his own family is inferior to his obligation to society. Before he may provide for his own dependents he must contribute to the support of a communist school as deductible contribution much more than he may give his own wife, free of the gift tax, in the same year, even though the wife, by her work, self-denial and inspiration may have had a great share in the earning of the money.

It is true that congress passed this law so it must be the will of the people. It is true also that this is a democracy. And, finally, it is true that we have here accepted the proposition that the "society" has priority over the family.

Funerals

MRS. RICHARD HALL

Princeton, Nov. 24—The funeral of Mrs. Richard Hall, 84 who passed away Tuesday noon at her home, 507 Lincoln street, after an illness of two years, was held at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Norberg Memorial home. The Rev. J. M. Smoot, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated, and burial was in Greenfield cemetery at Lamolite.

A native of Lee county, she was born as Sarah Pierson April 10, 1860.

Surviving are her husband; five sons, Ward of Kansas City Mo., Rollin of Minnesota, Sam and Marion of La Moille and Charles of Walnut; three daughters, Mrs. Mabel Wade of Compton, Mrs. Laura Carlson of Princeton and Mrs. Clara Ecklund, La Moille; two brothers, William Pierson of Princeton and Sam Pierson of La Moille; and a sister, Mrs. Emma Lyons of Los Angeles, Calif.

WILLIS TRAVIS

Polo, Nov. 24—The funeral of Willis Travis, 44, lifelong resident of Polo, who died Tuesday night, was held at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. Harry Gilbert. The Rev. M. E.

Clingenpeel of the Church of the Brethren officiated, and burial was in Fairmount cemetery.

Mr. Travis was born Dec. 17, 1890, in Polo. He was a painter by trade.

Surviving are three brothers, George Travis, Oregon, and John and Clayton Travis, both of Polo, and four sisters, Mrs. Ernest Quaco, Mrs. Lulu Smith and Mrs. Gilbert, all of Polo, and Mrs. Harry Newcomer, Dixon.

Deaths

MISS MARY SPALDING

Miss Mary Spalding, 54, a lifelong resident of Sterling and a sister of John Spalding of Dixon, passed away early Thursday morning at her home, 505 West Seventh street, Sterling. Funeral services will be held at 9:00 o'clock Saturday morning at St. Mary's Catholic church, Sterling, of which she had been a member all her life. Burial will be in Calvary cemetery. Two brothers and three sisters survive her.

MRS. ADELAIDE LOGAN

Mrs. Adelaide Logan, 74, formerly of east of Dixon, passed away Tuesday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Lois Verango in Delano, Calif., relatives here have been advised. Funeral services will be held at the home of Mrs. Harry E. Conrad, 709 East Third street, Sterling, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with burial in Riverside cemetery.

Mrs. Logan, who left the Dixon community in 1912, was born Aug. 26, 1870 and is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Verango and Mrs. Wanda Lasave and Mrs. H. E. Armond, the latter two of Detroit Mich.; a son, James, of Battle Creek, Mich.; a brother, Walter Reed, and a sister, Mrs. Lucetta Young, both of Pomeroy.

Suburban—WILLIAM HENDRICKS

(Telegraph Special Service) Polo, Nov. 24—William Hendricks, 78, formerly of Polo, passed away at his home in Buffalo, Kas. Thursday morning, his sister, Mrs. Anna Waterbury of Polo was advised today. The body will be brought to Polo for funeral services at the Presbyterian church at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The Rev. Louis Meskimen will officiate and burial will be in Fairmount cemetery. The deceased is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Ada Jones of Wichita, Kas. and a son, Roy, of Buffalo, who will accompany the body to Polo.

Bell Ringer

Chicago, Nov. 24—(AP)—Policemen got the bird, in a department store.

Three officers answered an insistent burglar alarm in the Madigan Brothers department store—no burglar.

Again the alarm ring—still no prowler. The policemen would not be halted, they searched again. Suddenly the intruder was flushed, a starling.

ficiate and burial will be in Fairmount cemetery. The deceased is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Ada Jones of Wichita, Kas. and a son, Roy, of Buffalo, who will accompany the body to Polo.

Suburban—MRS. BERTHA REINERT

(Telegraph Special Service) Polo, Nov. 24—Mrs. Bertha Reinert, 84, lifelong resident of Polo, passed away at her home here Thursday. Funeral services

will be held at the Methodist church at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the Rev. Ralph Grieser officiating. Burial will be in Fairmount cemetery.

Mrs. Reinert is survived by two grandsons, Rex and William.

MRS. VIRGINIA ROSENTHAL

Mrs. Virginia Rosenthal, widow of the late Moritz Rosenthal, passed away at her home in New York City last Sunday, just one week before her 67th birthday, her sister-in-law, Miss Carrie Rosenthal, 311 Second street, has been advised.

Mrs. Rosenthal, whose husband, prominent New York attorney and banker passed away 10 years ago, is survived by two sons, Paul and John, both of whom are in the service; and a daughter, Jane. Her death followed a long illness. On her numerous visits to Dixon she made many friends, all of whom will mourn her passing.

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YOU GOTTA THINK QUICK

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XXII
THAT afternoon I went to the jail to see Rugg. The moment he looked up at me I realized what a tough job lay ahead. He was sullen and rat-faced, and about two years older than I. If he made the same impression on the jury as he did on me, he was headed straight for the chair.

It was a stunt to get him to talk. Maybe he felt I didn't like him. Or maybe he was suspicious of people in general. Finally I became irritated.

"Look here, Rugg," I said. "Your neck doesn't mean a damn thing to me, but Boggio's does. And you'll do as I tell you or else you'll burn, so help me!"

That put him in a receptive frame of mind and I realized I'd hit on the right psychological approach. He began to loosen up, and from then on I got everything I wanted. But the more he told me, the gloomier the outlook became. From a strictly legal standpoint the guy hadn't a leg to stand on.

There was one fortunate thing, however. He hadn't talked after his arrest. He'd known enough to keep his trap shut when the cops questioned him. The rest was up to me.

DURING the following weeks I lost plenty of weight. The responsibility suddenly shoved on my shoulders got me down. I couldn't eat and I couldn't sleep.

I was going to take, and at the same time I had to bolster up Boggio's confidence. To my surprise he was taking all this much better than I'd anticipated. Now that he really was in danger, he seemed less of a coward than when he was worrying about his bellyaches.

THE trial had been set for a Wednesday. I decided to go and see Rugg the day before. At last something had begun to permeate inside my skull.

I found Rugg gone to pieces. He began bawling me out for not having come in earlier.

"Shut up, Rugg," I snapped. "I've got to talk to you."

"Now listen," I said. "We're both up against a tough proposition. They're out to get your hide and they've got a pretty good case."

"Yes," said Rugg anxiously. He'd become very pale.

"There's a certain way of approaching your defense that may save us. But you've got to co-operate. When they question you about the shooting don't be hesitant about admitting you did it. But don't give them any reason when they ask you why. Keep your trap shut."

"What the hell then?"

"Say you don't know and stick to it. I'll do the explaining."

THERE was an atmosphere of expectancy in the courtroom as Anderson, the prosecutor, drew to the close of his plea for a verdict of guilty. Rugg looked livid.

I turned away and focused on the jury. They seemed impressed and I realized that if I didn't manage to wean them away from Anderson pretty quickly it was going to be hopeless.

I glanced at Rugg again. His face was twisted with fear as Anderson demanded the full penalty of the law for murder in the first

degree. I was afraid he was going to start blabbing about Boggio so I motioned to him. He got my signal and slowly sank back in his chair again.

Anderson was all through. I cleared my throat and stood up. For about thirty seconds I didn't say anything. I merely stared at one of the four women in the jury. I'd picked her out at the beginning of the trial. Her name was Hannah Twichell and she was a motherly housewife with two twins. I'd chosen her because she had an air of authority about her and because it was plain she didn't like Anderson. She'd asked the judge a question and Anderson had barked at her. It was a foolish thing to do. Unless I was completely wrong, Hannah Twichell was going to be a powerful ally of mine. And as Hannah Twichell went, so would the three other women go.

(To Be Continued)

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Ed Carey Talks
(Thanksgiving) Turkey

Bert Childers hails Ed Carey on his back porch. "What you doin', Ed?" he asks.

"Pluckin' our Thanksgiving turkey," Ed replies.

"Looks like a chicken to me," says Bert. "Looks like one to me, too," Ed allows. "But with so many turkeys goin' to our fightin' men, some chickens got to do a turkey-size job."

Guess that's the way Thanksgiving is going to be in a lot of homes this year. We'll be sitting down to rationed foods and substitutes—and being mighty glad about it! . . . knowing that the best is going to our men overseas.

And from where I sit, the most important thing of all isn't rationed. That's the Spirit of Thanksgiving! Today—as the lights are going on again all over the world—there's more of it than ever! And more cause for it—as the powers of darkness yield to freedom, tolerance, and human kindness!

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Society News

LOIS MARY SAUNDERS AND KENNETH EHLBECK ARE WED AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Miss Lois Mary Saunders, daughter of William J. Saunders of 315 South Dixon avenue, became the bride of Kenneth T. Ehlbeck son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Ehlbeck of near Arlington, Ill., in a double ring ceremony at St. Patrick's Catholic church at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The Rev. Fr. T. L. Walsh celebrated the nuptial high mass and the junior choir sang.

Miss Janet Ann Saunders, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Wilfred Ehlbeck of Arlington, served his brothers as best man. Mr. Saunders gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a wedding gown of ivory brocade satin that fell into a short train. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a half-hat of ivory satin ribbon and she wore a locket belonging to the bridegroom's mother. She carried a bouquet of Johanna Hill roses and stephanotis.

As maid of honor, Miss Saunders wore a bronze colored satin gown and carried a shower bouquet of bronze and gold chrysanthemums with matching flowers in her hair.

Mrs. Joseph Schemmel of Mankato, Minn., aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Ehlbeck, mother of the bridegroom, wore dark dresses and corsages of white baby mums.

A small reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's father. Bronze and gold chrysanthemums decorated the home and a three-tiered wedding cake centered the bride's table.

For going away the new Mrs. Ehlbeck wore a beige dress with brown accessories and a top coat of moss green. Her flower corsage was of gold baby mums.

Both the bride and bridegroom were graduated from the Mendota township high school. Mrs. Ehlbeck is employed at the Dixon National bank and the bridegroom at the Illinois Northern Utilities company. They will reside in Dixon after a honeymoon.

On Monday evening employees of the bank entertained the bride at dinner at the Rainbow Inn and presented her with a gift. There were 20 present.

BOBBY LEE JEWETT HAS 7TH BIRTHDAY

Bobby Lee Jewett, daughter of the El Jewetts of 316 North Galena avenue, celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary Wednesday afternoon by inviting seven young friends to a party at the home of her parents from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock.

Ice cream and cake and favors were enjoyed by Julie Dunn, Janet Newcomer, Donna Atterberry, Desa Trautwein, Diane Knupp, Myrtle Irene Fritz and Jacqueline Van Meter. Janet, Desa, Donna Irene were winners of favors for games played during the afternoon.

FROM MINNESOTA

Mrs. Carl Straw has returned from Northfield, Minn., after a week's visit there with her daughter, Shirley, who is attending Carleton college.

DINNER GUEST

Mrs. Anna Engle was a Thanksgiving day dinner guest at the Ernest Wernick home.

Guest Speaker



When the Woman's club introduces Herma Clark of Chicago as its guest speaker Saturday afternoon at the Loveland Community House at 2 o'clock, she will present a program of monologues of the eighties where she captures the early folk scenes of this part of the country and portrays them for her audience.

Miss Clark is a newspaper columnist for the Chicago Tribune, writing "When Chicago Was Young". She is also the author of two books and writes her own sketches. She is being sponsored by the literature and library service committee.

PHIDIAN ART CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY

Members of the Phidian Art club will meet Tuesday, Nov. 28, at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Cal Tyler. The paper for the afternoon will be given by Mrs. L. W. Walter, who will talk on "The Advancement of the Modern Negro."

PRACTICAL CLUB

Mrs. A. E. Marth and Mrs. Earl Auman will be hostesses to members of the Practical club on Tuesday, Nov. 28, at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Rice tea room. Afterwards the group will go to the Marth home for its program.

THURSDAY VISITORS

Mrs. C. G. LeKander of Plainfield, and daughters Pat and Sally, her father, John Hemmen, and Mrs. Cal Dart and son Harold of DeKalb, were Thursday visitors in Grand Detour.

SUPPER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Jenks entertained a group of friends at a supper party last evening.

Calendar

Tonight
Elks auxiliary—Meet at Elks club.
Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge—Meet in Odd Fellows hall, 7:30 p. m.
Palmira Grange—Meet in Gap Grove town hall, 8 p. m.
Atty. H. C. Warner, speaker.
Gamma Mu chapter, Beta Sigma Phi—Meet in Loveland Community House, 7:45 p. m.

Saturday
Dixon Woman's club—Loveland Community House, 2 p. m.
Herma Clark, guest speaker.
Sunday
Townsend club No. 2—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson, hosts, 2:30 p. m.
Service club—Mrs. William Edwards, hostess, 2 p. m.
St. Anne's Study club—Mrs. M. J. Wedlock, hostess, 7:45 p. m.

Tuesday
Phidian Art club—Mrs. Cal Tyler, hostess, 2:30 p. m.
Past Presidents' Parley of American Legion auxiliary—Meet with Mrs. Peter Phelan, 8 p. m.
Practical club—Luncheon at Rice's tea room, 1 p. m.
Amoma class—Mrs. Carl Steen, hostess, 7:30 p. m.
Job's Daughters—Saved meeting at Masonic temple, 7 p. m.
American Legion auxiliary—Sewing meeting, Mrs. Clyde Lenox, hostess, 8 a. m. White luncheon at noon.

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Thanksgiving Day Is Celebrated by Informal Dinners

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Baker of Mount Morris were dinner guests yesterday at the David Kirk home. The Kirks' daughter, Ellen, who is a student at the University of Illinois, was home for the holiday celebration and will remain until Sunday when she returns to her studies.

Late in the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hintz and their daughter Alice, were guests at the Kirk home and showed moving pictures taken at the wedding of the Francis Bakers. Mrs. Baker is the former Lila Lee Kirk. Ellen was a guest today at the home of her sister in Mount Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Snyder had their two daughters, Mrs. Rita Watts and Mrs. Jayne Lanson, their son, Arthur Tote, storekeeper first-class, and their three grandchildren, Joanne, Rusty and Carole Watts, and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Snyder as their guests over the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mrs. Lanson, who has been visiting her parents for a month, left yesterday for Oakland, Cal., to join her husband, C. P. O. Allen Lanson, who is a member of the U. S. naval hospital staff at Oak Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McGinnis entertained four guests from Rockford yesterday.

Mrs. C. R. Walgreen entertained at her Hazelwood estate yesterday and had as her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walgreen, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newcomer and children of Chicago and F. X. Newcomer.

Mrs. Amy Petersberger Byrd arrived yesterday morning for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Joe Petersberger.

Mrs. Gunder Torstenson and two children of Grand Detour, spent the holiday in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hicks of East Third street, were guests of her parents for the holiday, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McCrea of Aurora.

The William Treins had as their guests for Thanksgiving dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rasch and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill.

Mrs. Zoe Osborne Latham traveled to Sterling to spend the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Palmer.

The O. H. Martins had as their guests yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McGowan of Muskegon, Mich., and Mrs. M. J. McGowan of Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Glessner entertained yesterday at a holiday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde H. Lenox, Mr. and Mrs. William Adams and son, Laurence of Dixon, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bryan and Mrs. Charles Kestel of Grand Detour.

Mrs. Elsie Hoff and children, Joanne and Roger, were guests on the Thanksgiving holiday of Mr. and Mrs. John Hevg of Chana.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hoyle of 222 West Chamberlin street, entertained guests yesterday. They were Mr. and Mrs. George Guynn of Woosung, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Reese and granddaughters, Judith and Barbara Hoyle, whose father is now somewhere in France.

Mrs. Daisy Donovan of La Salle, mother of Mrs. El Jewett of 316 North Galena avenue, and the latter's brother, Walter W. Donovan, of Oak Park, and Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Griffith of Dixon were guests at the Jewett home yesterday.

Dining together on Thanksgiving day were Mrs. Clara Shaw, Mrs. Mary Bailey, Mrs. Elwood Schults, Mrs. Charles Redhaugh and Miss Lois Fellows.

At another Thanksgiving dinner were the Jerome Coxes of

HAZEL GERALDINE MOSS IS BRIDE OF RAYMOND H. WOLF IN PRETTY HOME CEREMONY

In a pretty home wedding on Thanksgiving day, Miss Hazel Geraldine Moss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Moss, 819 Jay Dee avenue, repeated her nuptial vows beneath an archway entwined with ferns and roses with Raymond H. Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wolf of Sterling. The Rev. William Thompson, pastor of the Church of the Brethren, read the double ring wedding service at 10:30 o'clock in the morning at the Moss home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gerdes, sister and brother-in-law of the bride, were the attendants. With her teal blue dress, which was trimmed in fuchsia, the bride wore a pearl necklace which was worn by her mother and sister as brides, and she carried a handkerchief that her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Charles Messer, of Canton, O., carried when she was married 43 years ago. Her bouquet was of orchid chrysanthemums and white carnations.

Mrs. Gerdes wore a fuchsia and blue dress and carried a white and bronze bouquet of chrysanthemums. Mrs. Wolf, mother of the bridegroom, wore a fall green ensemble with brown accessories and the bride's mother, wore a navy blue outfit. Both had corsages of sweet-peas.

A three tiered wedding cake centered the table for the reception held following the wedding ceremony for the two families and a few friends.

A graduate of Dixon high school, the bride has been doing war work at the Green River ordnance plant for the past year, and her husband has been employed there since his release from the army. He attended Sterling high school.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Wolf and daughters, Joyce and Doris, and H. Conroy of Sterling, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hess and daughter, of Woosung.

When they return from a honeymoon the couple expects to reside here.

The government of Eire has a house of representatives called Dail Eireann, and a senate called Seanad Eireann.

In China divorces are permitted in cases of criminality, mutual dislike, jealousy, incompatibility, or too much talking by the wife.

"Greatest" London, Nov. 24—(AP)—The United States was hailed as the world's greatest military and naval power by Prime Minister Churchill in a surprise Thanksgiving address last night.

Speaking at Albert Hall before 8,000 persons including American servicemen attending a concert, Churchill said the allies were moving irresistibly and "perhaps, with God's aid, swiftly towards victorious peace."

From the continent Gen. Eisenhower marked the Thanksgiving Day occasion with a broadcast to the United States calling for over-subscription of the Sixth War Loan Drive for vital fighting equipment "needed now."

CORINTHIAN SHRINE PLANS CEREMONIAL

A stated meeting, followed by refreshments and cards will be held by Corinthian Shrine, Order of White Shrine of Jerusalem, on Friday evening, Dec. 8, at 8 o'clock.

The date for the Christmas ceremonial and initiation of the order has been changed, and will be held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 13, at Brinton Memorial Masonic temple at 8 o'clock.

TO FLORIDA

Mr. A. W. Kramer will leave this evening for Florida, where she will spend the winter.

Miss Lena Bowers Becomes Bride of Orville Brindle

Miss Lena Bowers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bowers of 2119 West Fourth street, and Sgt. Orville D. Brindle, son of the Rev. John Brindle of Polo, were united in marriage on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buzard, 1215 North Galena avenue.

The single ring ceremony was performed in the presence of only the immediate families by the bridegroom's father, Rev. Brindle. The couple was attended by Mrs. Floyd Floto of Dixon, sister of the bride, and John Brindle of Oregon, brother of the bridegroom.

The bride was attractively attired in a brown suit with matching accessories and wore a necklace, a gift of the bridegroom, and her something old was a gold pin which was worn by her mother on her wedding day. Mrs. Floto wore a blue suit with tan accessories. Following the ceremony a luncheon was served at a beautifully appointed table decorated with lapers and flowers.

The bride has been teaching in Le, county for a number of years and at present is lower grade teacher at Prairieville school. Sergeant Brindle has been serving with the harbor craft in the Gulf of Mexico for the past two and one-half years and at present is stationed at Camp Gordon Johnston, Fla. After a brief honeymoon, the groom will return to Camp Johnston. His bride will be at home with her parents for the duration.

REBEKAH LODGE

Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge will meet this evening in the Odd Fellows hall at 7:30 o'clock for initiation ceremonies. Refreshments will be served.

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Markets at a Glance

New York: Stocks lower; aircrafts lead decline. Bonds irregular; some rails improve. Cotton quiet; mill buying and covering. Chicago: Wheat about steady: Light trade. Corn weak; profit taking. Rye weak. Liquidation. Hogs very active. Top \$11.40. Cattle generally active. Top \$18.50.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, November 24—(AP)—Cash wheat: No. 1 red, 1.72½ (ceiling and nominal); No. 2 red, 1.71½ (ceiling and nominal). Corn sample grade yellow (old) 1.06½-1.08. No oats. Barley: sample grade 1.20; malting 1.15½-1.37½; non; feed 75¢-95¢ non. Field seed per cwt timothy 6.25 (6.50 non); red clover 31.50 non; alsike 28.50.

Chicago Grain Table
(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec	1.66½	1.66½	1.66½	1.66½
May	1.61½	1.61½	1.61	1.61
July	1.49½	1.50	1.49½	1.49½
Sept	1.48½	1.48½	1.47½	1.47½
CORN—				
Dec	1.11	1.11½	1.10½	1.10½
May	1.09½	1.10½	1.09½	1.09½
July	1.09½	1.09½	1.09	1.09½
Sept	1.08½	1.08½	1.08½	1.08½
OATS—				
Dec	.66½	.67½	.66½	.66½
May	.61½	.61½	.61½	.61½
July	.58	.58	.57½	.57½
RYE—				
Dec	1.09	1.09	1.08	1.08½
May	1.07½	1.07½	1.06½	1.07
July	1.04½	1.04½	1.03½	1.04½
Sept	1.02½	1.03½	1.02½	1.03½
BARLEY—				
Dec	1.07½	1.07½	1.06½	1.07
May	.96½	.97½	.96½	.96½
July	.92	.92	.92	.92

Chicago Produce

Chicago, November 24—(AP)—(WPA)—Potatoes: arrivals 181, on track 258, total US shipments 419; supplies moderate; for western stock; market steady; market firm; for northern stock; demand slow; market dull; Idaho russet burbanis US No. 1, 3.30-3.42; Minnesota and North Dakota bliss triumphs; commercials 2.25-2.30; US No. 1 washed, 2.02; cobbler commercials 2.30, futures: Nov. 3.29. Onion futures: Nov. 1.20; Jan. 1.35. Butter firm; receipts 360,033; market unchanged. Eggs: receipts 8,831; top steady; balance weak; market unchanged. Futures: Nov. 35.55; Dec. 35.10; Jan. 32.60; Oct. 34.75 off. Live poultry: fowl easy, young stock firm; receipts 20 trucks; 3 cars; fob prices unchanged.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, November 24—(AP)—(WPA)—Slaughter hogs 8,000; total 17,000; market very active; weights 270 lbs and down 15, to mostly 25 cents higher; barrows and gilts over 270 lbs steady, sows 10-25 cents higher; good and choice 150-270 lbs 14.20-14.35; top 14.40 sparingly; good and choice 150-180 lbs 13.50-14.25; barrows and gilts over 270 lbs and virtually all hogs 14.00; complete clearance. Slaughter cattle 4,000; total 5,000; salable calves 300; total 800; most killing classes strong; largely cow run; general trade active; top steers 18.50; bulk good and choice 15.50-17.85; common and medium grades 11.50-14.50; stockers firm at 10.50-14.00; canner and cutter cows 5.50-6.75; most beef cows weak to 12.00; good up to 14.25; weighty sausage bulls to 11.75; practical top vealers 15.00. Slaughter sheep 2,000; total 8,000; nothing done early on slaughter lambs; asking steady or around 11.50 on most good and choice natives; fed western lambs held above 4.25; slaughter ewes steady common to good natives and westerns 4.75-6.00; few good and choice native ewes 6.25. Officially estimated salable receipts tomorrow: hogs 500; cattle 500; sheep 500.

Wall Street Close
(By The Associated Press)

Allis Ch Mfg 37½; Am Can 58½; A T & T 182½; Bendix Aviat 45; Beth St 61½; Borden Co 34½; Borg Warner 37½; Corn Prod 60½; Curt W 65½; Douglas Airc 64½; Du Pont De N 153½; Eastman Kodak 170; Gen Elec 30½; Gen Foods 41½; Gen Mot 61½; Marshall Field 18½; Mont Ward 52½; Nat Eis 22½; Nat Daily Prod 21½; Sears 99½; St Oil Ind 33; St Oil N J 51½; U S Rub 17½; U S Steel 56½.

Third Army's Troops Enjoy Turkey Dinner

With The U. S. Third Army, Nov. 23—(Delayed)—(AP)—Damp, mud-stained soldiers in the U. S. Third Army's forward areas got their turkey today with practically all of the traditional trimmings but with a minimum of ceremony. Pfc Theodore Lodi, from Plymouth, Mass., remarked "These cooks of ours did a solid job—even if they aren't from Massachusetts." The cooks were Corp. Salvatore Esposito, New Haven Conn., who used to be a boilermaker, and Pfc Joseph Jackson, of Detroit, who sold men's furnishings. They turned out a sound job of roast turkey, dressing, gravy, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, peas salad and pineapple and the troops did not seem to mind eating it standing up beside a muddy road. Some used fenders of trucks as a festive board. Most dinners were at nighttime, but one group of the 26th "Yankee Division Command Post" ate theirs at 2:30 p. m.

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Allies Ford Rhine;
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hour. It was heavily mined, stoutly defended and intact. Von Rundstedt massed his divisions, half of them tank outfits; along a 25-mile front on the Cologne plain from north of Gellenkirchen to the bloody Hurtgen forest, and these were the best the Germans could muster in western Europe. They faced the massed and charging might of three allied armies, the American First and Ninth and the British Second.

Of the Ninth Army's toll of 110 tanks, 23 were the new Tiger Royals—monsters with six-inch skins. Battle Almost Amphibious. The battle was almost amphibious. Three days of rain left inches of water standing in the fields, and the streams were well out of their banks and raging. The resolute British backed on to high ground from Hoven and Beek and there were reported standing firm.

Germans in the Strasbourg area were in the wildest disorder. Roads leading east toward the Rhine were lined bumper-to-bumper with American troops and materiel moving up in the big push. It was a Seventh Army show under command of the Guadalcanal hero, Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch, for the French Second Armored Division was fighting as a unit of his 15th corps. Between Strasbourg and the Cologne plain, the U. S. Third Army was having a harder fight in its big bulge east and south-east of Metz. Its elements already were within heavy siege gun range of the great Saar steel and rail city of Saarbrücken, less than 15 miles away. Outside Metz itself 3,000 Germans held out hopelessly in five by-passed fortress groups. The American Third Army beyond Metz captured Oberluren and deepened its northern wedge into Germany with gains of two to four miles yesterday. The front of Lt. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., edged slowly toward the Saar industrial and railcenter of Saarbrücken, 15 miles from forward lines.

Negro Lynched
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the state training, and agricultural school for Negro boys. He was away at the time of the tragedy. Assistant Superintendent W. S. Neil and Storekeeper Virgil Davis discovered the bodies of the women about 9 a. m. when they went to the Scott home on the school grounds. They judged the women had been slain around 6 a. m., shortly after Seales, a house boy, had reported there for work. By 11:30 these events had taken place in quick sequence. Returned By Farmers. Seales was returned to the school by two farmers who took him into custody as a suspected escapee from the institution, without knowing of the slaying. Neil said the youth, 16, admitted the attacks. Davis lodged him in the Bledsoe county jail here, 16 miles from the school. A group of men removed him from the jail, at which only two women were in attendance, and returned him to the school where they shot him to death after threatening first to hang him. Seales' body fell within the shadow of a \$250,000 building under construction at the school. Neil said he did not recognize any of the men in the group. "There will be a full investigation of both the murder, and the lynching," asserted State Highway Patrol Chief Lynn Bonar who took charge on orders of Gov. Prentice Cooper. "The governor offered a reward of \$500 for arrest and conviction of "those guilty in this lynching," first in the state in several years.

PERSONALS

John H. Grove of Seaboard, former supervisor from Alto town, was a Dixon business visitor Wednesday afternoon. Miss Ruth McDonald of Chicago spent the Thanksgiving holiday with her parents. Charles Walgren Jr., and Edward Leslie of Chicago are enjoying hunting while spending the week end holiday at Hazelton, Wis. Mrs. George Beier was visiting in Rockford today. George Alshouse, who is ill at his home with pneumonia is somewhat improved.

Only fish, like mackerel, should be broiled or baked, not fried.

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Leak A. M. Bowers, both of Dixon; Walter F. Hatchel of Port Byron and Miss Esther C. Wurster of Clinton, Iowa; Raymond H. Wolf of Sterling and Miss Hazel G. Moss Dixon, Paul E. Bullinger and Miss Betty Louise McConaughy, both of Dixon.

Loses Two Fingers—
Russell Heltrich, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heltrich, route 4, Dixon, suffered a painful accident Thursday morning while assisting at the Vernon Wolfram farm in South Dixon township. Taken to the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital two fingers of the right hand which had been caught in a corn picking machine, were amputated at the first joint and he was expected to be released and return to his home today.

Canvass Is Delayed—
Springfield, Ill., Nov. 24—(AP)—The state canvassing board will meet perfunctorily Monday and adjourn until a later date, not earlier than midweek, to canvass Nov. 7 election results, Secretary of State Richard Yates Rowe said today. Cook county election returns have not yet been certified to the board, he explained.

12,000,000 in Service—
Washington, Nov. 24—(AP)—The senate military committee heard today that the nation's armed strength is close to 12,000,000 men. Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, selective service director, reported a net strength of all the armed forces of 11,859,000, as of Oct. 1. Chairman Reynolds (D-NC) said Hershey told the committee that the figure includes 109,000 women in the Navy—nurses, WAVES, SPARS and Marines—and 80,000 WACS.

Clipping from Army Paper—
Lieut. Sterling W. Schrock, son of County Clerk and Mrs. Sterling D. Schrock, who is serving overseas, in a letter to his parents today, enclosed the following clipping from the England edition of the Stars and Stripes, service men's magazine: "The Fortress April Girl II has completed 77 combat missions without once turning back for mechanical reasons and the Fortress Devil's Mistress has done 45 without an abort. Crew chief for both bombers is M/Sgt. Ralph Montavon of West Brooklyn, Ill."

Two Divorces Granted—
Judge George C. Dixon presiding in Lee county Circuit court Wednesday afternoon granted two divorce petitions: Margaret Melton who was married to John Melton at Marshalltown, Iowa, in 1939 was granted a decree on grounds of desertion and permitted to resume her maiden name, Margaret Simms. Leila Mae Fox who was married to David Fox at Dubuque, Iowa, June 1, 1910, was granted a decree on charges of cruelty and was permitted to resume her maiden name, Leila Mae Bohm.

Super Forts
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for Japan has been joined. "The systematic demolition of Japan's war production, begun six months ago, four China bases henceforth will be carried out with decisive force, softening up the Japanese heart for the ultimate invasion by combined United Nations land, sea and air forces. This will not be accomplished in a short time. The battle is just beginning. But today we opened against Tokyo an attack which will be carried on relentlessly from the air until the day of land-sea invasion." Lt. Gen. Millard F. Harmon, deputy commander of the 20th Air Force under Arnold—as today's communique revealed—said "we must and will sustain and intensify our attacks for many months to come before victory will be in sight." In Five Months. Army engineers built the superfort bases in five months, a major Pacific war achievement. They started as soon as the islands were secured in July and constructed the large, heavily built on Saipan from where some of today's raiders left as well as other fields on Guam and Guam. While engineers hacked out runways, service organizations were flying in huge stocks of supplies to service the giant planes and their crews. Use of bases in the Marianas solved a major logistic problem in operation of the B-29's. The islands are within far more practical supply lines than the long "hump" flight from India which still serves the 20th Air Force planes in China. The 21st Bomber Command, the second unit of the 20th Air Force to be announced was organized and trained initially in Colorado Springs, Colo., and later in the Sahana Kan area. Despite the large size of this initial raid, based on five months' B-29 experience in other theaters, Hansell warned that Superfort attacks must be regarded as still in the experimental stage in this theater.

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The War Today
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Army. And so to Cologne. Nowhere in Germany was there any sign that the greatest war of all time had just been fought. The countryside was trim. Neither city nor hamlet bore scars of the conflict. We might have known then that we hadn't won the war but had only secured a breathing spell.

This time it's different. The allied air navies have poured death and destruction over the length and breadth of the reich. And now Nazi Field Marshal Von Rundstedt seems bent on holding in the Cologne plain west of the Rhine as long as he can with what's left of the decimated armies that marched out with Hitler to conquer the world. This means he's prepared to make a terrible sacrifice of life in an effort to delay inevitable surrender. Well, if they want it that way it's probably all to the good for our children. When the remnants of the Hitlerite army stagger back through Cologne this time, there won't be any newspaper screaming "Deutschland Uber Alles."

The Roer river is the next major natural obstacle the allies have to overcome in the Aachen sector. Once across that there's open country in which a battle of movement can be staged. There are, of course, canals and not far from Cologne there is the river Erft. But the allies can hit their stride once they're across the Roer in force.

Two of the principal crossings of the Roer are the neighboring cities of Juelich and Duern, both important road centers. Bitter fighting is going on in this area, for Von Rundstedt is counterattacking with armored forces to protect these strategic points. Apparently he has stripped other parts of his battle line in order to cover up in this vital sector. Just above Lt. Gen. Simpson's American Ninth Army, which is only a couple of miles from Juelich, the British Second Army also is encountering heavy fighting. The Germans have been counterattacking strongly with tanks and have recaptured Hoven, northeast of Gellenkirchen.

There's another highly important thought in connection with the battle of the Cologne plain. If Von Rundstedt does elect to make his big stand west of the Rhine, it may mean that this will be the last big battle. That is, once he is committed to this course he won't find it easy to return behind the river defenses.

'Phone Operators'
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and elsewhere promptly faded. The suddenness with which the strike ended last night compared with the speed with which it had grown. It will be up to the War Labor Board now to adjust differences between the ex-strikers, their employers and their expressed targets—operators brought in from outside and given living expense bonuses not received by residents. Called Off Suddenly. Up until late yesterday leaders of the union, the National Telephone Workers' Federation (independent), had rebuffed the WLB. Then, in the face of prospects for government operation of the telephone companies, they called the whole thing off. Backing the WLB also were such weapons as power to take away union security privileges, as one board source noted in citing a west coast dispute where a union lost its closed shop provision for disregarding WLB orders. Union leaders said they anticipated fair treatment in a peaceable settlement; they showed no signs of feeling they had lost in the contest to date. Neither did they say there had been any promises exchanged. A break in the situation, which began a week ago when operators left their jobs at Dayton, O., came shortly after WLB referred the entire problem to Stabilization Director Fred M. Vinson, a usual step before government seizure of strike-bound facilities. Robert G. Pollock and Mrs. Mary E. Cannon, presidents respectively of the Ohio and Washington affiliates of the union, called for, and got, immediate termination of the strike.

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Inflated Clothing
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Second, an order intended to stop "fancying-up" and "over-fancying" of simple materials, which Bowles estimated may save consumers as much as \$50,000,000 a year. This is to be done by reducing the margins of textile finishers. It will be four or five months before the ceiling-tagged children's garments reach the market, Bowles estimated.

has made a special allotment of material this quarter.

First, a decision to set dollars-and-cents retail prices, which will appear on easy-to-read tickets on each garment, on the 30,000,000 items of children's clothing for which the War Production Board

In general this pattern will be followed: WPE fixes quantity and size specifications, before granting material to manufacturers. For every level of manufacturers' prices, OPA sets a corresponding retail price. With each shipment the maker notifies the seller of the ceiling, and the retailer must plainly mark the price on the garment. As representative prices OPA listed boys' underwear shorts at 38 cents retail, girls' panties at 44

cents, girls' blouses from \$1 to \$1.15, boys' pants and knickers, \$1.40 to \$1.95. The curb against over-fancying applies to all shipments after January 3 of both cotton and rayon fabrics. It will reduce prices of cotton finished piece goods by about 1.5 percent. Bowles estimated, or \$17,000,000 a year.

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Sharpshooters Open Season Against Pretzels Next Week

"These kids will be playing good basketball before the season is over," Coach Leonard E. Sharpe remarked.

He was speaking of his 1944-45 Dixon Duke cage squad which inaugurates its campaign a week from tonight against Freeport's Pretzels on the local hardwood.

"I've got a green, experienced squad," he continued, "but our shooting ability isn't bad and we've plenty of speed. It should be a pretty even scoring bunch. But we lack height, so I can't foresee our defensive possibilities. We'll improve, though—with a little experience."

Two of last year's Tournament Ten are back in harness. One is Fred Meinke, regular guard. The other is Johnny Sloan, hero of the Duke's 32-30 triumph over Rochelle in the opening Rockford sectional tussle.

Duke Schedule

Dec. 1—Freeport, here.
Dec. 8—Rockford, here.
Dec. 15—Hall Twp., there.
Dec. 16—Rock Falls, here.
Dec. 22—Sterling, here.
Jan. 5—DeKalb, here.
Jan. 6—W. Rockford, there.
Jan. 12—Ottawa, there.
Jan. 19—Geneseo, here.
Jan. 26—Hall Twp., here.
Jan. 27—Rock Falls, there.
Feb. 2—Sterling, there.
Feb. 3—W. Rockford, there.
Feb. 10—DeKalb, there.
Feb. 16—Ottawa, here.
Feb. 23—Princeton, there.

Great seasons are expected for both. Meinke, burly defensive star, has been shifted to center to counter-balance a lack of height at the pivot spot. Sloan is practicing at forward and guard with pre-season dope conceding him a starting backcourt job.

Besides this pair, two reserves, Junior George Broman and Senior John Wolbart, are on hand. The remainder of the 1943-44 outfit is absent—claimed by Uncle Sam.

Gone is high scoring Center Bob Marshall. Gone is all-sectional Forward Bob Cramer. Gone is Guard "Pinkie" Walters and Forward Billy Goff. Thus Meinke is the only holdover linked with the brilliant quintet which nabbed 15 of 21 points, plummeted Sterling to a triple defeat, captured the NCIC and regional crowns and advanced to the sectional finals before bowing to West Rockford.

For replacements, Mentor Sharpe is counting on a host of frosh-soph monogram winners. Two sophomores, Forward Jack Schultz and Center Don Thomas, have been advanced to the varsity while a host of juniors give a youthful hue to the newest Sharpshooter brigade.

Battling for forward slots are Joe Eggelbrecht, Jack Valle, Schultz and Sloan. At center Meinke and Thoms are waging warfare while George Acker, John Wolbart, John McLean and Broman scrap for guard positions.

Biggest hurdle confronting the coaching staff is lack of height. Thoms ranks tallest with Meinke or Sloan next in line. The other players are classified as "shorties," setting up a terrific backboard handicap. With rebound control unsure the Dixonites will face a heavy defensive burden.

A grueling 16-game schedule, one of the toughest in recent years, has been prepared. Ten North Central Illinois Conference skirmishes are on the card, two each with Sterling, DeKalb, Hall's Redmen and Ottawa and singles with Princeton and the Geneseo Maple Leafs.

Six non-loop matches complete the slate. After opening with perennially-strong Freeport, the Purple and White tackle East Rockford Dec. 8, Four Saturday evening dates, West Rockford, Jan. 6, Feb. 3, and Rock Falls, Dec. 16, Jan. 27, are also on the no-count menu.

TROJANS MUST WHIP UCLA FOR ROSE BOWL BID

Los Angeles, Nov. 24—(AP)—If Southern California beats UCLA tomorrow it is automatically the western nominee for the Rose Bowl game New Year's day, probably against Ohio State or Tennessee.

If UCLA upsets the Trojans the Pacific coast conference will have to be polled to determine the representative. The Bruins, too, would take Ohio State or Tennessee.

Southern California is undefeated but had been tied by UCLA and California. UCLA has been tripped up by service teams but has only one conference loss, that to California.

From 50,000 to 100,000 persons depending upon the weather, are expected to turn out for the contest in the coliseum.

ILLINI ALUMNI RENEW FOND TITLE MEMORIES

Chicago, Nov. 24 (AP)—Although the University of Illinois football team is out of the running for this year's Big Ten title, the school's alumni have fond memories of title seasons.

Members of the 1914 and 1919 squads, both of which won the Western Conference championships, will meet tonight for a reunion dinner. Among those who will attend are Slovic Chapman, the school's first all-America selection; Maj. Clarence Appleman, and LeRoy Walquist and Chuck Carney who were a formidable passing combine in 1919.

Bobtail Sports

DUKE FROSH-SOPHIS: Coach C. E. Lindell, already planning next year's pigskin squad, has additional worries this week.

Most of them center on the personnel of his freshman-sophomore cage outfit which plays off the lid against Freeport's underclassmen next Friday evening.

Sophomore Mike McDonald, a first-rate guard, is the sole experienced player returning from last season's aggregation. And to complicate matters two standout regulars, Forward Jack Schultz and Center Don Thomas, have received varsity calls.

However, a group of approximately 12 eager basketekers are on hand, intent on bettering a less than 500 percentage compiled by the 1943-44 outfit.

Besides McDonald, slated for a regular backcourt job, Lindell possesses Freshman George Wallace and Sophomores Edward Enichen and Harold Worman for forward spots. Wallace, speedy newcomer, is counted an excellent prospect.

At the remaining guard position Don Russell and Carroll Schumacher are first in line. A pair of freshmen, Melvin Walker and Byron Cannon, are competing for the center role while Ernie Atkinson, Joe Richards and Don McLean are holdover reserves.

The frosh-soph schedule compares identically with the varsity card, contained in an adjoining column.

A RECORD: Coach Chet Ellis at Rochelle claims a new Illinois prep football point-after-touchdown record for Eugene Schaller, his star booter.

Schaller kicked 21 extra points in seven games this season, averaging three per contest. Center on the undefeated Rock River Conference champions, Schaller is charged with only six misses all season.

Actually, Ellis says, he should be charged with only five, since the line buckled on one occasion and the effort was blocked.

So far no challenge has been made against the claim, although the story is receiving state wide publicity.

BIG 8 ROUNDUP: Paced by all-conference backs Johnny O'Neil and Rudy Nebel, East Aurora snared the Big Eight football flag yesterday afternoon, squeezing past West Aurora 14-13. The triumph boosted the Tomcats' record to five victories, one loss and a tie, giving them a one-game bulge on second place Joliet.

The winners continued their scoring to the first half, O'Neil counting the first marker on a three-yard plunge. Bill Augustine converted. The second touchdown came on a 64-yard ramble by Rudy Nebel and Augustine's toe again split the uprights.

As it turned out, the extra point conversion proved to be the margin of victory when West Aurora roared back for two six-pointers in the final periods. Bill Gustafson, nominated as the loop's stand-out fullback, notched both of 'em on dashes of 29 and 18 yards. His try for point after the first touchdown was blocked but Glenn Pierce placed-kicked the point following the second score.

With all returns on, here are the final standings:

Team— W. L. T. Pct. T.P. O.P.
East Aurora 5 1 1 .833 108 69
Joliet 4 2 1 .667 102 32
West Rockford 4 3 0 .571 85 104
East Rockford 4 3 0 .571 109 112
Freeport 3 4 0 .429 92 100
LaSalle-Peru 3 4 0 .429 60 86
Elgin 2 3 2 .400 75 91
West Aurora 1 6 0 .143 87 124

The Rockford Morning Star's all conference team: Hershberger, Freeport, I.; Cramer, Joliet, I.; Bjekich, Joliet, I.; Valek, Joliet, I.; Johnson, West Rockford, Jr.; Mullarhik West Rockford, Jr.; Parker, Elgin, Jr.; Anderson, West Rockford, Jr.; Nebel, East Aurora, Jr.; O'Neil, East Aurora, Jr.; Gustafson, West Aurora, Jr.

VARIED PITCH: Bert Flick of Grand Detour authority on fishing and trapping, exhibited a varied catch Thanksgiving morning after inspecting his trap line. He checked in with one muskrat, a mink, a possum and a wild duck which had been snared after venturing too close to shore. Several of Bert's cronies are claiming some sort of a championship for the unusual catch.

SHORT SHOTS: The University of Chicago opened its basketball campaign Tuesday evening by dropping a 51 to 39 decision to Illinois Tech.

Bob Knapp and Tom Buck were chosen 1945 pigskin co-captains for the Polo Marcos at a recent banquet. . . . M. Carroll, initiated its hardwood season this week by easily outpunching York of Thomson, 43-18. . . . Other results: Lee 38, Lee Center 28; Prophetstown 19, Maunius 21. . . . Sterling Community has scheduled 18 basketball games this year, nine at home and nine away. . . . The Quarter Century Bowlers association will celebrate its 15th anniversary with a reunion and somecoming party for members and old time regulars at the University of Illinois Sunday afternoon. . . . In six years under Coach Ernie Abbott, Peoria Spalding has nabbed 11 grid victories, lost 10 and tied three. . . . East Moline meets Geneseo, Farmington invades Ashton, Morrison plays Rock Island and Sycamore locks horns with Shabbona in cage struggles tonight.

TURKEY RESULTS: Belleville accomplished one of the season's prize feats with a 7-0 victory over East St. Louis yesterday. Nine thousand fans were on hand to view East St. Louis' first defeat since a loss to Decatur in October, 1939.

Since the 1939 defeat, East St. Louis had won 19 of 50 battles, 27 in a row including 10 this season. Despite the setback, the Flyers grabbed their sixth straight Southwestern loop title in conjunction with Belleville and Alton.

Other Turkey Day skirmishes saw Robinson Maroons close a nine game card by wallowing Oblong 60-7 and claim team scoring honors with 323 points; Spalding's Irish thrashed Peoria Woodruff, 19-8; Alton beat Western Military and Peoria Central whip Peoria Manual.

PREDICT'N TIME: Excuse us folks if we're in a slight fog today. But after all that turkey we've at least got a valid excuse for musing a few grid predictions anyway! Well, here goes nothing!

Illinois to lick Northwestern.
Purdue to upset Indiana.
Ohio State to edge Michigan.
Iowa Seahawks to crush Iowa.
Georgia Tech to stop Notre Dame.
Minnesota to trounce Wisconsin.
Penn to ride over Cornell.
Great Lakes to rout Ft. Warren.
Duke to trip North Carolina.
Dartmouth to scalp Columbia.

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CLASSIC LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
Sunnybrook	23	10
H. A. Roe Co.	21	12
Harmon	20	12
The Stables	20	13
Reynolds	19	14
Boydton-Richards	19	14
Nygers Royal Blue	19	14
Chauffeurs Local	16	17
James Billiards	15	18
United Cigar Store	13	19
Shell Service	13	19
Nachusa	13	19
Hill Bros.	12	21
Dixon Cut Sole	12	21
Hunter Co.	10	23

Individual Records
High game—J. Miller 278
High series—Frank Lessner 669

Team Records
High game—Hill Bros. 1116
High series—Hill Bros. 3126

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	T.P.	O.P.
Harmon	189	137	193	.519	519	519
Allen	141	167	140	.448	448	448
Jacobs	171	148	159	.478	478	478
Peach	159	160	147	.456	456	456
Hopkins	168	122	150	.441	441	441
Handicap	116	116	116	.348	348	348

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Sunnybrook	1	2	3	.307	307	307
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R. Delveiller	132	211	159	.352	352	352
Schofield	182	148	135	.415	415	415
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DOORIS MEAD
Reporter

Mrs. Marshall Griffith and two daughters Janice and Marsha were Tuesday evening supper guests at the home of Mrs. Blanche Roberts.

Rev. and Mrs. Ernest C. Carder attended the preachers' meeting of the DeKalb sub-district of the Methodist church in DeKalb Monday.

Will Shaddick is employed at the GROP, near Amboy.

Mrs. I. J. Collins, Mrs. Mae Gallagher, Mrs. Charlene Gibson and Theresa Gallagher called on Mrs. James Gallagher at the St. Mary's hospital, DeKalb, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Wheeler and Mrs. Nellie Adrian of Downers Grove, called on their many friends here in Paw Paw Friday afternoon.

Pvt. Bradley Botts returned to Camp Hood, Texas, Wednesday, after enjoying a 15-day furlough with his wife Laura and daughter Ginger, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Eich.

Mrs. Sarah Davis is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chapman in Waterman for an indefinite period of time.

Mrs. James Moore and infant son James Lee, have returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. Gale Avery, after being a patient at the Harris hospital in Mendota for a week.

Homer Erlenbach has purchased the Oswald Oetel home located in the southwest part of town. This home will best be remembered as that of the late Mrs. Inga Oetel.

Miss Violet Safranek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Safranek who underwent a major operation at the Swedish-American hospital in Rockford, is reported to be doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wright and family of Careyville, Ill., returned home Saturday after spending a week's vacation at the home of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright.

Alice Locke-Hinkson has accepted the position of private secretary to Rev. Moore of the El Paso, Tex., Baptist church. She appears on the radio program "The Gospel Broadcasts" over a radio station there. She was a former resident of Paw Paw and her husband, Sgt. Tech. Alvin Hinkson is now stationed at Briggs Field, Texas.

Mrs. Tom Foster and son David Arthur returned home Sunday from the Harris hospital in Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Haefner, Miss Doris Mead, Frank Clemens and Richard Mead were Saturday afternoon business callers in Amboy and also visited at the Fred Mead home.

Helen Berlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Berlin, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant (j.g.) in the WAVES. Miss Berlin is an instructor at the Naval Training Station at Cedar Falls, Iowa, and officer in charge of Visual Aids.

Lee Center

Among those from this area in attendance at the Lee County council of the American Legion hall last Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ulrich, Mrs. Roy Brown of Binghamton, N. Y., Mrs. Roland Ulrich, Mrs. Linda Brant, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Foote, John Brasel, Miss Geraldine Brown, Cpl. Olean Felland, W. G. Taylor Alice Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maves. There were about 200 present.

Cpl. Elwood Cruse of the Eng. Bn. Camp Polk, La., has been spending a 15 day furlough with his wife in Dixon and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cruse of Inlet.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker of Amboy spent Saturday evening with W. J. Leakes.

Lt. Harrison M. Parson, navigator has now completed his missions of shuttle bombing from England to Africa of the German Messerschmitt aircraft plans and will enjoy a furlough at home according to a cablegram received from England by his mother, Mrs. John H. Hanneman. He has been promoted to First Lieutenant, has received the Air Medal and Distinguished Flying Cross. The citation commended his skilful participation in bombing attacks which are "knocking out German resistance and helping to insure victory for the Allied Armies invasion of Western Europe.

Pfc. Douglas Riley who has been home on a furlough has returned to Camp Ellis, Ill. Other guests at Sunday dinner in the Harry Riley home were Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Reese of Seabro.

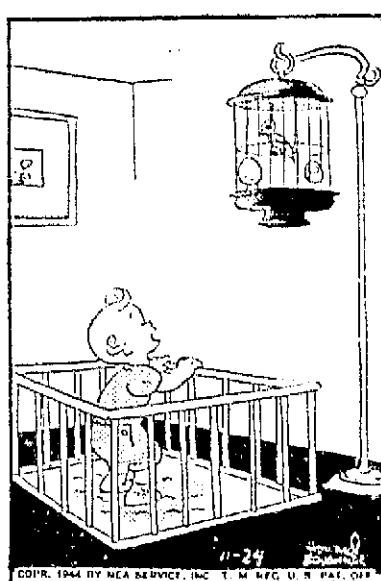
Mrs. Lyle Frost and Stanley attended the first birthday party for Charles Allen Wallace held at the B. A. Trendwell home in Amboy Sunday afternoon. His father Charles M. Wallace of the 23d Marines 4th Division is in service in the Southwest Pacific. His division has received the Presidential unit citation. The nation's highest group award, for its capture of the islands of Saipan and Tinian.

Andrew Aschenbrenne came home Saturday from the Sterling Home hospital and is making a good recovery from his recent major surgery.

Officers from this area selected at the annual Eastern Star election in Amboy Tuesday night included Margaret Lovett worthy matron, Dwight Mynarch, worthy patron C. A. Ulrich associate patron, Emma Ulrich organist.

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MISS LEONE BRUCKER
Correspondent

Lucky 13 Club

Mrs. Alex Gehant was hostess to the members of the Lucky 13 Card club at her home on Thursday afternoon. Prizes in "500" were awarded to Mrs. Darlene Bauer, Mrs. Frances Gallisath, Mrs. Elizabeth Bresson and Mrs. Bertha Bresson. A lovely lunch was served at the close of the afternoon. Mrs. Evelyn Moier will entertain the club in two weeks. Mrs. Josie Harris, Mrs. Henry

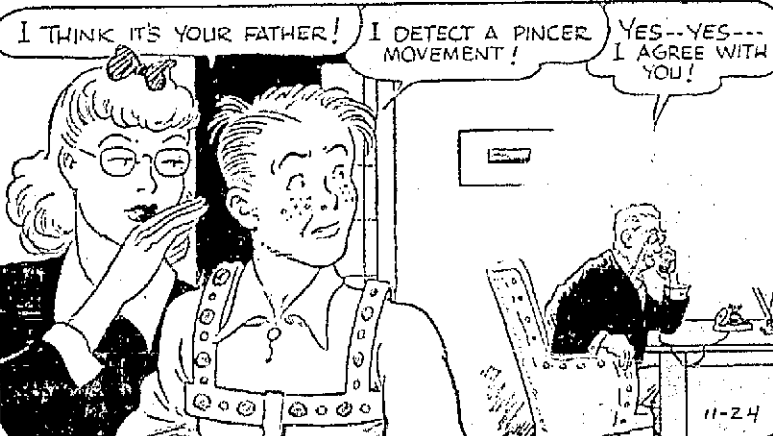
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



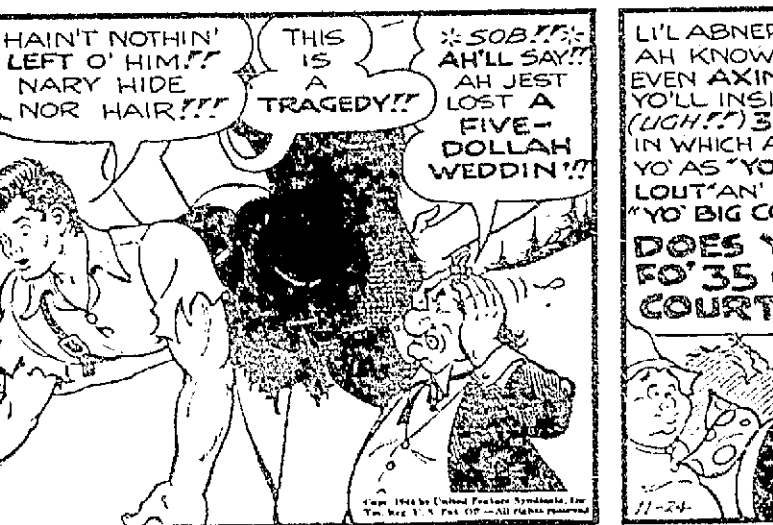
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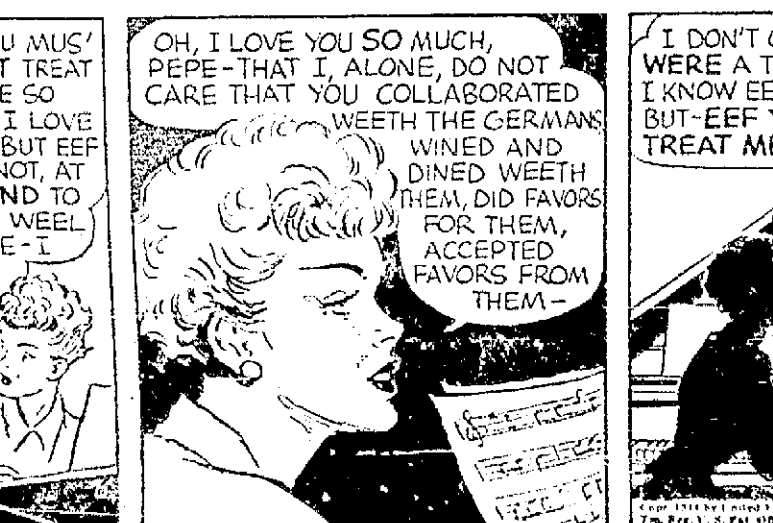
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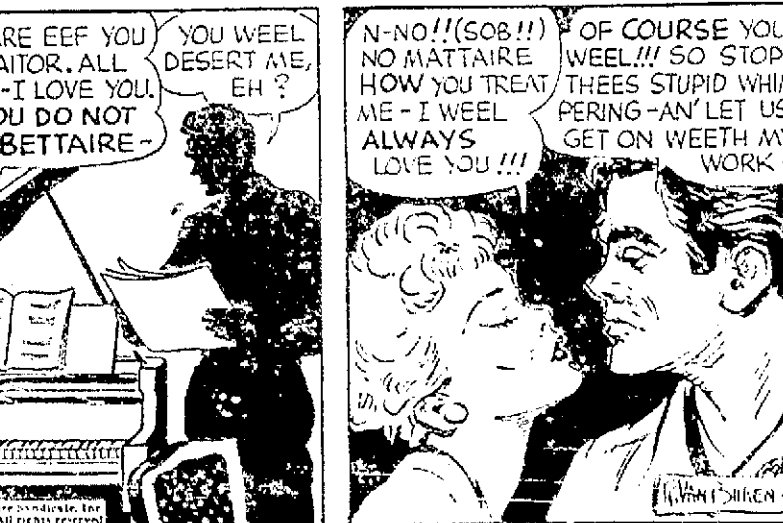
Before We Say Goodbye



By Al Camp



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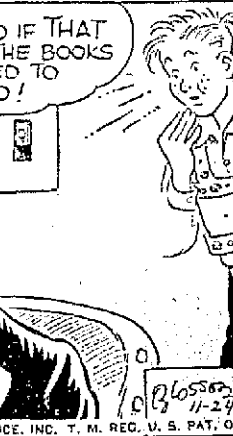
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By Fred Harman



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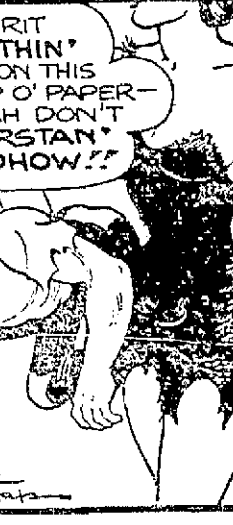
By Leslie Turner



By V. I. Hamlin



By Al Camp



By Rachun Van Buren



Elaine spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Chicago.

Relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eich on Sunday evening to honor Mrs. Eich on her birthday anniversary. Several social hours were enjoyed and a delicious lunch was served in the late evening. The guest of honor received many nice gifts.

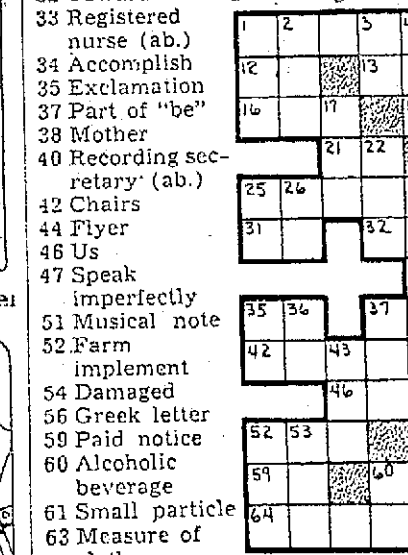
Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Fassig, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fassig and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Geuther all of West Brooklyn, Mr. and Mrs. George Fassig, Miss Marie Fouk, Mr. and Mrs. Art Kutter and Mrs. Carrie Johnson of Mendota.

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SIDE GLANCES

By Gailbraith



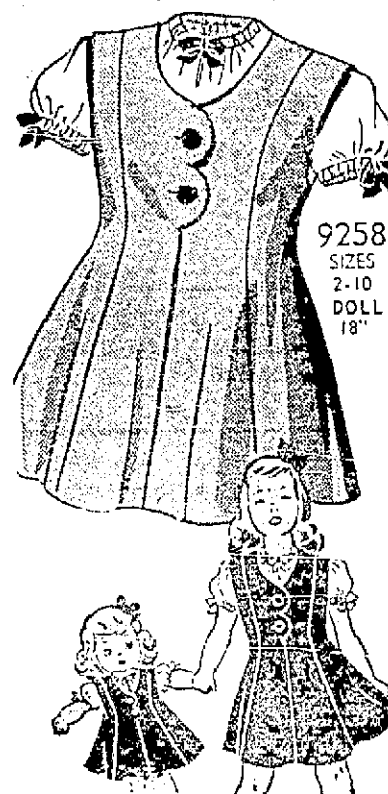
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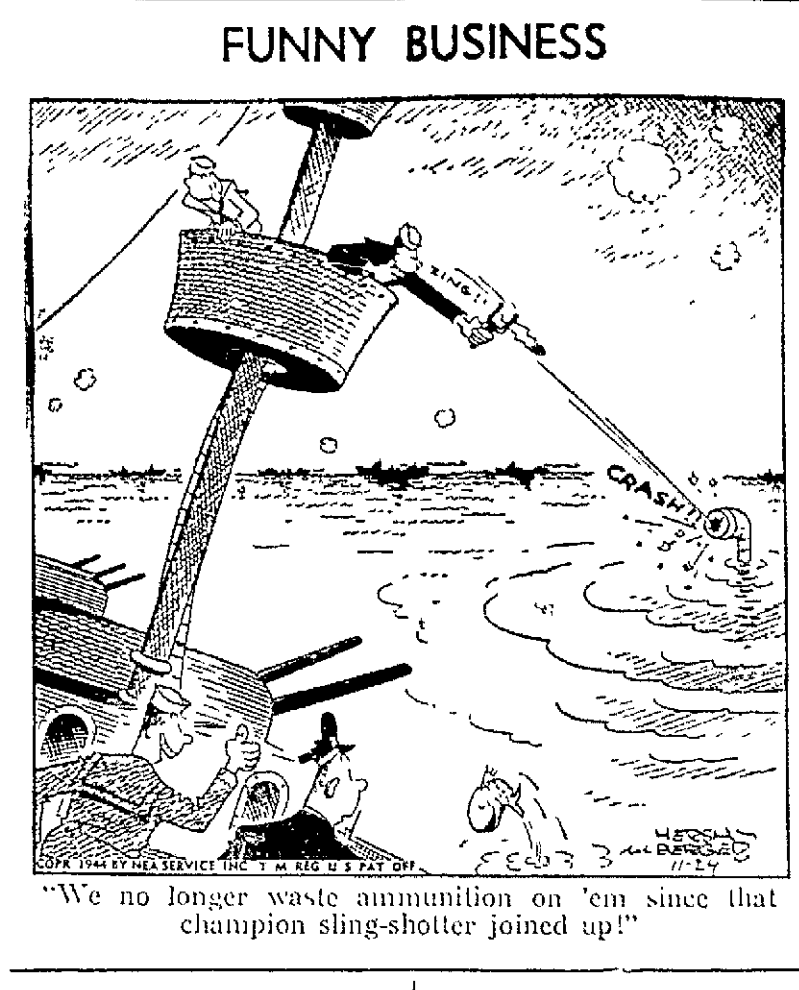
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FILING FINAL SETTLEMENT
State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. Estate of Andrew Hanson, deceased.
Public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Andrew Hanson, deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon on December 4th, 1944, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will also ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.
Shabbona, Ill., November 16, A. D. 1944.
Conrad Munson, Administrator.
E. E. Wingert, Attorney. Nov. 17-24, 1944

NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY
Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, January 1, 1945, is the claim date in the estate of William H. Thompson, deceased, pending in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.
Charlotte Parker, Executor.
Warner & Warner, Attorneys. Nov. 18-25 Dec 2

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